

**PATENT**

CASE #F6151(C)  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Michael Charles CIRIGLIANO and Mauro Dominick MORDINI  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to taking any action on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.